

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

**TRIAL**

United States of America,

Plaintiff,

v.

Harold Bennie Kaeding,

Defendant.

**COURT MINUTES**

BEFORE: Eric C. Tostrud

U.S. District Judge

Case No: 21-cr-169 ECT/JFD

Date: July 29, 2024

Court Reporter: Tim Willette

Courthouse: St. Paul

Courtroom: 7D

Time Commenced: 9:00 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.  
11:05 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.  
12:20 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.

Time in Court: 3 Hours 15 Minutes

**APPEARANCES:**

Plaintiff: Jordan Sing and Robert Lewis, United States Attorney's Office

Defendant: Harold Bennie Kaeding, pro se  
Karen Mohrlant and Lee Johnson, Standby Counsel  
☐ FPD, ☐ CJA, ☐ Retained, ☒ Appointed

Interpreter/Language: None / English

**PROCEEDINGS:**

- ☒ JURY Trial - Continued (Trial Day 6).
- ☒ Plaintiff's Witnesses: Zoraida Franco (Cont'd), Kandace Zelaya
- ☒ Defendant's Witnesses: Zoraida Franco (Cont'd), Kandace Zelaya
- ☒ Trial continued to July 30, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

s/ R. Morton  
Courtroom Deputy